



RECEIVED
OCT 27 2003
TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Sheet 1 of 1

FORM PTO-1449

U.S. Department of
Patent & Trademark Office

Attorney Docket No.
225/49907

Serial No.
09/854,919

RECEIVED

Applicant: BAUMANN et al.

OCT 27 2003

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT**
(Use several sheets if necessary)

Filing Date
May 15, 2001

Group
3843

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial		Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Sub-Class	Filing Date (if appropriate)
TD	AA	5,819,408	10/13/1998	Catlin	29	897.2	
TD	AB	5,271,473	12/21/1993	Ikeda et al.	180	68.4	
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial		Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Sub-Class	TRANSLATION	
							Yes	No
TD	AK	0026078	05/11/2000	PCT			AB	
TD	AL	19831256 A1	01/13/2000	Germany			AB	
TD	AM	19843928 A1	04/08/1999	Germany			AB	
TD	AN	0494116 A2	07/08/1992	Europe				
	AO							
	AP							

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

	AQ	
	AR	
	AS	

EXAMINER

Cheroung

DATE CONSIDERED

5/30/04

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication.